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Chief Section of Administration Office of Proceedings Surface Transportation Board 395 E Street, S.W. Washington, D.C. 20423

Contract C-7972

Dear Section Chief,

Enclosed for recordation pursuant to the provisions of 49 U.S.C. Section 11301(a) are two (2) copies of a Memorandum of Lease, dated as of December 16, 2009, a primary document as defined in the Board's Rules for the Recordation of Documents.

The name and address of the party to the enclosed document are:

American Railcar Leasing LLC (on behalf of Lessor:

> ACF Industries, Incorporated) 620 North Second Street St. Charles, Missouri 63301

StarPet Inc. [Lessee:

> 801 Pineview Rd. Asheboro, NC 272031

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A description of the railroad equipment covered by the enclosed document is:

7 railcars within the series ACFX 058342 - ACFX 059336 as more particularly set forth in the attachment to the document.

A short summary of the document to appear in the index is:

Memorandum of Lease.

Also enclosed is a check in the amount of \$41.00 payable to the order of the Surface Transportation Board covering the required recordation fee.

Kindly return stamped copies of the enclosed document to the undersigned.

Very truly yours,

Robert W. Alvord

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MEMORANDUM OF LEASE

SURFACE TRANSPORMATION BOARD

This Memorandum of Lease is prepared and filed by American Railcar Leasing LLC, a Delaware limited liability company, on behalf of (i) itself as lessor and/or as assignee of ACF Industries, Incorporated, ACF Industries LLC, American Railcar Industries, Inc., and/or ACF Acceptance LLC as the sole member of various ACF Acceptance entities, and/or (ii) as manager for one or more of the following affiliated lessors: ARI First LLC, ARI Second LLC, ARI Third LLC, ARL II Funding LLC and Shippers Third LLC, all with respect to StarPet Inc., a Delaware Corporation ("Lessee").

ACF Industries, Incorporated (as assignor or lessor, herein, "Lessor") and Lessee have entered into that certain Contract as identified on Schedule A (as amended, changed, assigned, modified and supplemented from time to time, together with any schedules and exhibits thereto, the "Lease"), pursuant to which Lessee leased the railcars listed on Schedule A attached hereto from Lessor on the terms and conditions set forth therein, and from time to time may lease other railcars bearing the reporting marks SHPX and/or ACFX.

This Memorandum of Lease is prepared for registration purposes and is not intended to amend the terms and conditions of the Lease.

AMERICAN RAILCAR LEASING LLC

Name: Umesh Choksi
Title: CFO & Treasurer

STATE OF MISSOURI) ss COUNTY OF ST. CHARLES)

On this day of <u>loc</u>, <u>loo</u>, before me, personally appeared Umesh Choksi, to me personally known, who being by me duly sworn, says that he resides at St. Louis County, Missouri and is the CFO & Treasurer of American Railcar Leasing LLC, that said instrument was signed on the date hereof on behalf of said company by authority of its governing body; and he acknowledged that the execution of the foregoing instrument was the free act and deed of said company.

NANCY COLLINS
Notary Public - Notary Seal
State of Missouri
Commissioned for St. Charles County
My Commission Expires: August 02, 2012
Commission Number: 08499131

My commission expires on 8/2/2012

Schedule A

Equipment

StarPet

Contract C-7972 dated 8/22/03

Quantity	Description	Reporting Marks	Road Numbers
	Hopper	ACFX	058342
	Hopper	ACFX	059271
	Hopper	ACFX	059304
	Hopper	ACFX	059307
	Hopper	ACFX	059309
	Hopper	ACFX	059310
	Hopper	ACFX	059336
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CERTIFICATION

I, Robert W. Alvord, attorney licensed to practice in the State of New York and the District of Columbia, do hereby certify under penalty of perjury that I have compared the attached copy with the original thereof and have found the copy to be complete and identical in all respects to the original document.

Dated: 1

Robert W. Alvord